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Serial No. 09/581,949	Filing Date June 19, 2000	Examiner Desire, Gregory M.	Group Art Unit 2625
Inventor(s) Jeff B. Glickman and Abel G. Wolman			
Title of Invention ENERGY MINIMIZATION FOR CLASSIFICATION, PATTERN RECOGNITION, SENSOR FUSION, DATA COMPRESSION, NETWORK RECONSTRUCTION AND SIGNAL PROCESSING			

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- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
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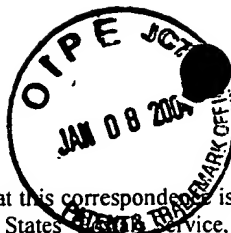
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RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 3, 2003, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.